ATTENTION WATERBORO LANDOWNERS

This notice comes to you from the Waterboro Cemetery Committee. We invite you to join us and help with the maintenance and upkeep of these sacred sites. This includes mowing, removal of trees and/or branches that may fall into the cemetery and damage stones, and repair of broken markers. We are also looking for volunteers to “adopt” a cemetery, which could include mowing and general maintenance, such as removing garbage and debris, and notifying the committee of branches or trees that may cause damage to the stones.

State law requires maintaining all of the town’s ancient (no longer active) cemeteries, and placing flags on the graves of veterans. State law also allows the Committee’s access to any ancient cemetery. This includes a 25-foot buffer strip for brush and tree removal.

Any citizen of Waterboro may take any wood left at the site during tree removal -first come, first served. Also, if there is a cemetery on your property and you are planning to have your property logged, thinned, or selectively cut please include the cemetery whenever it is safe and prudent to do so. The loggers or landowner may keep the wood.

If you have questions, have found a “lost” cemetery, want to arrange a site visit, or want to join us, please contact any of the following:

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